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§ 96.495 How can I appeal a decision made by an authorized organization?

(a) A responsible person may appeal a decision made by an authorized organization by mailing or delivering to the organization a written request for reconsideration. Within 30 days of receiving your request, the authorized organization must rule on it and send you a written response. They must also send a copy of their response to the Commandant (CG-543), 2100 2nd Street, SW., Stop 7126, Washington, DC 20593–7126.

(b) If you are not satisfied with the organization's decision, you may appeal directly to the Commandant (CG-543), 2100 2nd Street, SW., Stop 7126,

Washington, DC 20593–7126. You must make your appeal in writing, including any documentation and evidence you wish to be considered. You may ask the Commandant (CG-543), 2100 2nd Street, SW., Stop 7126, Washington, DC 20593–7126 to stay the effect of the appealed decision while it is under review.

(c) The Commandant (CG-543), 2100 2nd Street, SW., Stop 7126, Washington, DC 20593–7126 will make a decision on your appeal and send you a response in writing. That decision will be the final Coast Guard action on your request.

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